

DRILL MAKES BOYS BETTER

Thus Say Teachers of Grammar Grade Experiment.

TEST IN LINCOLN SCHOOL

PRACTICE MAY BE MORE GENERALLY INTRODUCED.

With the beginning of the present school year the first step was taken toward securing military drill for the boys in the grammar schools, the Lincoln school making the experiment. That effort has met with such marked success that it is proposed to extend the system to other schools. Not only has it improved the manner and carriage of the boys who have been formed into companies, but it is said to have had a splendid effect on their morals as well. Teachers say that youths who were rather lax in their efforts and whose conduct was undesirable, have turned into fine young men, whose pride is their well drilled company. The success of the effort is due to the work of Miss Etta Powers, principal of the school, and Captain William C. Webb, who has charge of the military tactics in the two high schools.

The four upper grades have been formed into companies, B, C and D, and these, with a captain and one lieutenant, make a fine showing in their drills and marches. The work was begun by Miss Powers, who secured the aid of Captain Webb, and whatever time has been devoted to it has given freely in the hope that it would prove helpful to the school.

Drills Take Place Out Doors.

The drills have so far been conducted on the large playground, which is one of the finest anywhere and is well adapted for such maneuvers. However, when the weather makes this impracticable, the wide hall, admirably adapted for the purpose, will be utilized as a place for the drills. The boys have taken great pride in their work, and while only rudimentary drills have been given so far, the work has had a wholesome effect on the whole school, and has served to eliminate many of the most difficult problems of government. It has had the effect also of improving the regular marching.

No attempt has yet been made to put the cadets in uniform, but there can be no doubt that when this uniform is worn the high school they will prove valuable additions to the ranks there. The entire work of supervision and formation has been done by Captain Webb in odd times when he was not on duty with the boys of the two high schools.

Girls Play Basket Ball.

The girls have not been overlooked in the athletic line, and have formed the Lincoln Girls Athletic club, out of which has grown the basket ball team, which, Coach Leland Acomb says, is nearly ready to issue challenges to any other girls' team in the city.

The captain of the team is Miss Kate Anderson. The girls wear neat blue suits trimmed with gold braid, with which extra shirts are worn in school.

Every afternoon the broad playground to the north of the building is filled with athletic enthusiasts. The two poles for the basket ball team are erected at one side and ample space is provided both for football practice and for the little ones' playground proper.

COLORADO EXCURSION.

Via O. S. L. and U. P. Dec. 22 and 23. Round trip only \$25.00. See O. S. L. agents for particulars.

Early Xmas Selections.

Insures the customer the cream of the lines of Neckwear, Fancy Hosiery, Suspenders, Night Robes, Pajamas, Shirts, Cane and Umbrellas, which we exhibit. BROWN, TERRY & WOODRUFF CO., Tel. 193. 166 Main St.

ITS RECORD MONTH.

The Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone Company

During November added 614 new subscribers in Salt Lake, giving a total of 7,001 subscribers, equal to ten telephones to every hundred of population.

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To 151 1/2 South Main street. Phone 2825 K. I go anywhere to photograph anything.

Pullman Observation Cars.

Are still being operated between Ogden and Denver via Colorado Midland. All the mountains in daylight. Diverse route tickets cost no more. See that ticket reads at least one way via Colorado Midland.

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Carriages, stylish light livery and boarding. Phone 272.

STORM IS DUE.

"PHONE 2600 FOR ROCK SPRINGS 'PEACOCK' COAL. Always on hand. We sell no other. Central Coal & Coke Company, 88 South Main Street.

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Dr. E. M. Keyser's Method of Filling teeth is painless. 162 Main street, Auerbach building. Telephone 1120 K.

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I. M. Hickey & Co., 169 East First South. Phone 752. Electric wiring.

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Everything photographic, 2d So. and Main.

Royal Bread won its popularity on merit. All grocers sell it. None genuine without our label with the crown.

H. P. Williams the carpenter makes and repairs anything in wood work.

Shop 71 S. State. Bell 2445 K. Ind. 241.

Remember the Christmas sale at St. Mark's guild Dec. 14 in the basement of the church. Refreshments served.

DIAMOND COAL.

Sold only by Citizens' Coal company, 55 West Second South. Tel. 49.

New Manufacturing Stationery.

Plant has been added by the Pembroke Stationery Co., First-class Bank Commercial and Mining Company business. 54 W. 2d So. S. Phone 753.

Bad Tenants Evicted.

And rent collected. Merchants' Protective Association. Francis G. Lake, General Manager. Top Floor Commercial Block.

SMELTER SMOKE HELPS TO MAKE SUNSETS BEAUTIFUL

MANY CAUSES CONTRIBUTE TO THE RECENT BEAUTIFUL PHENOMENA



A SALT LAKE SUNSET.

—Photo by Harry Shipper.

Have you noticed the especially brilliant sunsets with which Salt Lake has been favored during the past six weeks—how at times the sky from the horizon to the dome seems to be painted with every crimson hue from the most fiery to the softest tint?

Thousands of residents and visitors to the city have had their attention called to the west at sundown and many inquiries have been made as to the cause of the unusually splendid efforts made by Old Sol as the day dies away.

The artist is lavish in his praise of Utah sunsets just now, while the man of science is ready with his explanation. One "recipe" for a gorgeous sunset would read something like this:

"To a naturally arid country add a prolonged dry spell; let the whole be set in a valley richly endowed with scenic advantages. Then stir in large quantities of smelter smoke containing arsenic and sulphates plentifully mixed with city soot. This may be garnished with clouds and served with love of Nature and a dreamy disposition as relish."

Under these conditions, a sunset may well be a "feast" for the gods.

Conditions in Salt Lake Valley.

In Salt Lake valley, as it happens, there are just these conditions. Here is the naturally arid soil, here, much against our will, is the prolonged dry spell. None will deny that the valley is well supplied with scenic advantages. There are the Oquirrh and Wasatch mountains for the last rays of day to hover on, and there is the long stretch of valley that reaches out to the west to the sun. On the west there is

the lake that adds much to the city's attractiveness. Were all these here, and no smelter smoke, there might be still lacking some ingredient of a perfect sunset. Fortunately, insofar as this subject is concerned, the smelters manage to send out sufficient smoke every day in the week to supply this need. And Salt Lake, with her countless chimneys, persists in aiding Nature to some extent.

The remaining "substances" are quantities which Nature alone does not afford and which the whole may be enjoyed. They form as it were the proof of the sunset, the inward devouring by self of Nature's phenomenon.

The sunsets which Salt Lake has had during the past month or two have not been the same every night. There is always, of course, the vivid setting of orange and crimson, the rays hues that shine through the cloud rifts. At some times the sky seems to be studded with knobs of clouds, standing out perpendicularly from the filmy veil.

At others, the clouds seem to bank up in regular periods, forming a series of sky and vapor that extends high from the land's end. Here often will be found the most delicate hues, the deepest banks which are last warmed by the deep heat rays. Purple, blue, red, yellow and gold all have their play.

Explanation by an Artist.

In speaking of the recent sunsets, Harry L. Culmer, who as an artist is a study of these phenomena, said: "While to me every sunset is beautiful, those of the past few weeks have been particularly so. Indeed, not only at dusk but all during the day, I have noticed for several weeks that the air

seems full of color. There is a more pronounced yellow tinge than has been known for some time past. The cause of our brilliant sunsets can be found in hard, scientific facts and rules.

"Chief of these is the law of refraction, and those governing the passage of light rays from areas of pure to dense atmosphere. It is a well known fact that white heat rays coming from the sun are broken up in their passage to earth into yellow, red and blue rays. Each of these has a complement and subordinate which often only the artist can see or feel.

"The rays have a certain vibratory momentum. On the velocity of these depend their penetration. The varying capacity of these rays for penetrating varying densities account for the different hues which may be seen during sunset. The color of the earth itself has much to do with the tinge to be found in the sky at any time. Thus in a desert area where the ground may have a reddish, burned look, this will be mirrored in the sky. To an artist every object possesses different variations of color which he knows are there even though they may not appear present to others.

"This last conclusion is borne out by the statement of a Salt Lake artist who formerly resided at Butte, Mont. He commented on the subject as follows:

"The smelter smoke has much to do with the brilliant sunsets, adding especially in a period of dry weather. In Butte, not only are the sun's rays made to appear of a peculiarly glaring, vivid color, but the light of the moon is likewise affected."

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT.

To Be Given in Thirteenth Ward Church Thursday Evening.

The officers of the Thirteenth ward Sunday school will give a concert in the Thirteenth ward church, Thursday evening. Former Sunday school Superintendent H. S. Goddard will render a solo and the following programme will be given:

- Vocal solo.....Miss Sarah Patten
- Piano solo.....Miss Carlos Wood
- Vocal solo.....Miss Edith Burns
- Song.....Eugene and Mary Holiday
- Banjo solo.....Little Jack Halverson
- Vocal solo.....Mr. Harry Harper
- Vocal solo.....Miss Edith Grant
- Vocal solo.....Prof. George Carless
- Recitation.....Miss Lillian Malquist
- Vocal solo.....Mr. Thomas Ashworth
- Vocal solo.....Miss Lottie Owen

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SLAIN BY REBELS.

Port Nolloth, Cape Colony, Dec. 8.—Baron Von Busche, with twenty men, proceeding to Warmad, was attacked by rebels and four of the men killed.

RIOTOUS STUDENTS.

Vienna, Dec. 9.—German students created a demonstration today in the vestibule of the university on account of the rector's opposition to their demonstrations. The students called upon the rector to resign and attempted to force an entrance to his room, but Beades prevented them entering. The whole affair lasted half an hour.

LAST CHANCE TO GET

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Remember these prices are for the month of December only, and if you want to avail yourself of this opportunity of securing the best and most reliable dental work to be had in the city at almost one-half the regular prices come in this week.

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STATE NEWS

MET DEATH IN A MINE

Miner at Kimberley Is Killed While Picking a Missed Shot.

(Special to The Herald.)

Kimberley, Utah, Dec. 9.—Michael Hennessy was killed in the Sevier Consolidated mine this morning. A round of shots had been fired in the mine, all but one of which exploded. Hennessy was told of the failure of this shot, and it is supposed he was trying to pick out the shot when it exploded, killing him. A coroner's jury after an investigation found that the killing was the result of an accident for which the mine management was not to blame.

Hennessy was 39 years of age and was the case for some time past. The cause of his death was a missed shot. He was well known and bore an excellent reputation. For years he had been a prospector and miner in this region.

SUMMONS CAME QUICKLY.

Christian Christiansen Suddenly Attacked With Heart Failure.

Richfield, Dec. 9.—The people of Richfield were greatly shocked at the news of the sudden death of Christian Christiansen, one of Richfield's most highly respected citizens, Thursday evening. Mr. Christiansen was with one of his sons in the field, and about 5 o'clock started home, leaving the boy to drive the wagon while he would walk and drive a cow. The animal made a quick move to run back, when Mr. Christiansen became helpless. The boy got his father on the wagon and hurried home with him. As soon as the news was reached medical aid was summoned, but before the physician arrived Mr. Christiansen had passed away.

The deceased was born in Denmark, April 22, 1858. He came to Utah with his parents in 1880, moving to Richfield in 1881, being among the first settlers. In March, 1883, he was married to Mary S. Nielsen, who, with three children, survives him.

AMERICAN FOLK NOTES.

American Folk, Dec. 9.—The following victims were before Justice Kelley this morning and entered the city treasury to the amounts set opposite their names: John Munson, plain drunk, \$1; Joe Laycock, plain drunk, \$1; Frank Hagard, being in a saloon under age, \$3.50. In the same court yesterday two Lehi boys paid \$1 each into the city treasury for drunkenness and disturbing the peace.

A. Storrs returned from the east today, where he has been for the past two weeks.

A. B. Adams is confined to his bed with a severe attack of neuralgia of the heart.

John C. Heisel of Colorado has purchased the farm of the late Edward Robinson, from the estate, paying \$4,000 for the same. Mr. Heisel will move his family into the city and will be in charge of the property.

In a letter received by relatives from Elder Joseph Featherstone, who is laboring as a missionary for the Mormon church in Japan, he reports that an attempt was made by some unknown person or persons to poison him; very deadly poison was given him, but he did not get enough to prove fatal, at the same time he was robbed of all his clothing and personal effects.

PROVO NEWS NOTES.

Provo, Dec. 9.—Gust Austin, a Rio Grande Western section hand, has brought suit in the fourth district court against the company for \$5,000 damages for injuries to his foot and leg, which were crushed by a rail near Colton last July, while plaintiff was working for the company unloading lumber for the Jack Ryan, a discharged soldier, on his way to his home in the east, was charged by Justice Noon today for intoxication.

Many friends of Mrs. Elmina S. Taylor, including officers and several members of the Y. M. C. A., will attend her funeral in Salt Lake on Sunday. An excursion is being run over the R. G. W. to accommodate those who desire to attend.

The poultry display which has been made at the Sixth ward bazaar this week, through the efforts principally of W. S. Edin, has brought together such a fine exhibit of chickens that the people are astonished at the variety and the excellence of stock and as a result a poultry society will be organized here in the near future.

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FOURTEEN SUBPOENAED.

Still Nineteen Wanted For Smoot Investigation.

Mrs. Margaret Quinn Eccles Goddess of Plain City, one of the witnesses in the Smoot investigation, left for the east yesterday. George Bidderson, editor of the Boise Statesman, is also on the road to Washington to testify before the committee. Fourteen of the thirty-three witnesses have now been served with subpoenas.

BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS.

Examinations will be conducted by the Utah state board of dental examiners Wednesday, Dec. 14, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the Cullen hotel, Salt Lake City.

H. W. DAVIS, Secretary.

511 McCormick Building.

MORE SALARY WANTED.

Increase in Estimates For Consular Service.

Washington, Dec. 9.—In the estimates for the diplomatic and consular service forwarded to congress by Secretary Hay recommendations are made for increases in the salaries of a large number of officers in the service. It is recommended that the salary of the minister to Argentina be increased \$2,000; that of minister resident to Liberia, \$3,500, and that provision be made for a minister to Romania and Serbia, and one for Greece and Montenegro, and for a consular agent in Bulgaria.

Increased salaries are recommended for the secretaries of legation to Turkey and Switzerland. A third secretary is proposed for the legations to Italy and Austria, and a new consulate at each of the following places, as the salaries named:

Alexandria, \$3,500; Belgrade, \$3,000; Bucharest, \$3,000; Carlsbad, \$2,000; British North Borneo, \$3,000.

KINDNESS APPRECIATED.

London, Dec. 9.—In recognition of the assistance rendered by the British cruiser Talbot to the crew of the Russian cruiser Varag and the gunboat Korietz after the battle of Chemulpo, the emperor of Russia has presented the ship to the British government. The Talbot and \$250 to the Prince of Wales as a present for the royal navy fund.

Have You Had It?

If not, give your call and get that Perfect Work TROY LAUNDRY. The Laundry of Quality. Both Phones 192. 165 Main St.

PRESIDENT DETERMINED.

Powers of Commerce Commission Will Be Enlarged.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Enlargement of the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission is one of the questions which will be pressed vigorously at the present session of congress. It is said that in the mind of President Roosevelt no problem is more important than this to all of the people.

In conference with members of the senate and house a representative of the president has emphasized the views he advanced in his message in favor of the extension of the powers of the interstate commerce commission. With several members he discussed the subject today. Until 1887 the commerce commission had the power to regulate freight rates, but the supreme court then decided that under the law the commission had no such authority. Western members of congress especially have urged that the power recommended by the president be conferred by law upon the commission.

AFTER TWENTY YEARS.

San Francisco, Dec. 8.—George W. Yeager, a house and repair-stylist, for whom the governor's warrant has been issued that he might be taken back to a fugitive from justice. This move on his part was to bring about habeas corpus proceedings. He was released on \$5,000 bail. The case will be called Monday.

MILES WILL ACCEPT.

Boston, Dec. 9.—Governor-elect Douglas today announced that General Nelson A. Miles would be at the head of his staff. It is understood he will be made adjutant general, or possibly inspector general.

Smoking Jackets and Bath Robes.

A most acceptable Xmas Gift is a Smoking Jacket, it being good, useful and lasting. We have laid in a fine supply for this season and the LOW Prices at which we have marked them is really an inducement to buy. Remember a small Deposit will secure you one of these Jackets until Xmas.

BATH ROBES.

\$4.50 to \$13.50

USEFUL XMAS GIFTS.

GLOVES, NECKWEAR, MUFFLERS, SUSPENDERS, DRESS SUIT CASES, UMBRELLAS.

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